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Examining Group 3734

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Applicants : Larry B. Gray Confirmation No.: 2428
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action of October 26, 2010, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.